Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 19 Oct 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 20 Oct 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 18 Oct 2022 at 16:47

Confidence: Medium in detail throughout.

Headline for Wednesday 19 Oct 2022: Very windy with gales. Cloud and rain.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 19 Oct 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Fog	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
20%	30%	50%	40%	50%	30%	50%	60%

Forecast for Wednesday 19 Oct 2022

Weather: Cloud increasing and lowering overnight with showery outbreaks of rain possible by dawn. Cloudy with showers or some longer outbreaks of rain during daylight hours and very windy with gales over the summits. Buffeting in easterly gales with a significant wind chill. Some of the rain cloud be heavy with a small risk of thunderstorms.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40%, best chance mid-afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional or extensive cloud, base 600 to 900m, patches to 300m early and late in the day, perhaps clearing the summits for a time in the afternoon. Visibility very good falling moderate or poor in rain or showers, occasionally very poor at height.

Check our weather forecast every day to get the most accurate and up to date information
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/mountain-forecast
© Crown Copyright 2022. All Rights Reserved.

Mountain Weather Forecast

Forecast for Wednesday 19 Oct 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	26/39 E	25/38 E	25/38 E	27/39 E	27/38 E	27/39 E	26/38 E	21/31 SE	14/20 S
300	10/23 E	12/25 E	12/26 E	12/26 E	14/28 E	15/31 E	14/29 E	11/25 E	6/15 S
Valley	8/21 E	9/22 E	10/24 E	10/24 E	13/27 E	13/28 E	13/29 E	10/23 E	5/11 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/5	10/5	9/5	9/5	11/6	12/8	11/7	11/7	11/9
300	10/7	10/7	10/7	11/8	12/10	14/11	13/10	12/10	13/12
Valley	10/8	10/8	11/8	11/9	13/11	15/13	14/12	13/11	13/12
Freezing Level*	2900m	2900m	2900m	2700m	2700m	3000m	3000m	2800m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A marked temperature inversion near the summits leads to very gusty winds, 50, perhaps 60mph.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Tue 18 Oct 2022	0.2mm	9.4mm	16.2mm

Forecast for Thursday 20 Oct 2022

Weather: Cloudy and overcast overnight and early morning with outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Skies soon brightening with occasional sunny spells in the afternoon. Patchy low cloud and mist then developing in the evening.

Maximum wind: Southeast 10 to 20mph during daylight hours

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30% overnight and early morning, rising to 90% by the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional or extensive cloud overnight and early morning, base 600 to 900m with patches to 300m, this lifting and breaking by midday, but occasional cloud below 600m developing in the evening. Visibility moderate or poor in early rain and drizzle, occasionally very poor at height, becoming mostly good or very good in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 Celsius rising to 16 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 5 to 10 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

Check our weather forecast every day to get the most accurate and up to date information
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/mountain-forecast
© Crown Copyright 2022. All Rights Reserved.